Better Writing & Punctuation

Booklet 2

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Exercise 1

REVISION OF BOOKLET 1

Remember the rules you have learnt about sentences, full stops and capitals as you work through this revision exercise.

- 1. the car driver was stuck in a traffic jam
- 2. with a sudden burst of speed the boy won the race
- 3. my friend bought me a new book for my birthday
- 4. sophie and kate were great fans of justin timberlake
- 5. "my favourite author is jrrtolkein," said robert
- 6. when mr wilkins called the register sam barnett, nathan hudd, david willetts and chris phillips were absent
- 7. at the airshow prince charles was seen talking to squadron leader humphries
 - 8. the reverend williams welcomed lord and lady hamilton to the sunday service
 - the famous explorer sir walter raleigh was a favourite of queen elizabeth I
- 10. "i don't know if i can come out tonight but if i make the tea i am sure i'll be able to, so i'll ring you later," said james to his friend michael



- 11. "I don't like you and I won't do it!" screamed cerys
- 12. the 25 december, christmas day, is james ahia's birthday
- 13. "march, april and may are my favourite months because i love the spring," stated dr teresa green
- 14. on friday and saturday rachel was going out with her friends emma, victoria and jamie
- 15. when i was on holiday in pembrokeshire with my french cousin, jean-paul, we went for a walk on newgale beach



- 16. in london the german tourists visited buckinham palace, madame tussauds and the houses of parliament
- 17. once i had made my mind up i posted my order to kelvin hughes, kilgraston house, southampton
 - 18. "hurry up ali," called ryan, "we don't want to be late for our lesson"
 - 19. "what time does the film start dan?" asked warren, "we don't want to miss the beginning"